

COFFEE
NEWS & CHAT

BY: SARA HUTCHISON



CHILDREN
Take time for each other. This might be the message a young child gives his parents, if he could put his feelings into words. Parents are the most important people in the world of a child. The child senses when mom and dad are critical toward each other, argue with each other or simply ignore each other. This is disturbing to the child.

Sometimes he is frightened, sometimes he wonders if he is loved and sometimes he wonders if he is the cause of the problem. The child also senses when mom and dad are supportive of each other, when they have fun together and when they are thoughtful of each other. This makes the child feel secure and have peace of mind.

Being a parent is a full time job. Feeding schedules, sudden illnesses and extra expenses are responsibilities all parents of young children share. These responsibilities take time and can be exhausting. In spite of the many demands and limited time parenthood brings, it is important that the husband-wife role not be forgotten.

Strengthening and building this relationship adds to the strength of the parent-child relationship. A good, strong husband-wife relationship lets the child know that he is secure -- that all is well.

So, take time for each other -- for your sake as well as for the sake of your child.

CARE BOOKLETS

She who would discard the use and care booklet that came with a household appliance, wouldn't realize the high value of such literature. Some people can figure out how to operate the appliance. But the trial and error method is costly and unnecessary.

That little use and care booklet, furnished by the manufacturer, provides

Senators John Sparkman and Jim Allen and Congressman George Andrews announced that a six-county area of Southeast Alabama has been declared eligible for federal assistance in planning and carrying out programs for economic growth.

The area, officially designated as the Southeast Alabama Economic Development District, comprises, Barbour, Coffee, Dale, Geneva, Henry and Houston counties.

MIDDLE AGED AT 27?
In 1920 when the average life expectancy was 54, a person 27 had lived half his life. Now thanks to amazing scientific discoveries, the average life expectancy is over 68 years.

Medical science has also made advances which permit longer life of today to be a healthier, more pleasant one.

See your doctor for the latest developments in geriatrics. If he should prescribe one of the new discoveries or any of the older, reliable drugs, see us for the best prescription service possible.

YOUR (Real) PHARMACY

Elba Drug Company

and for the mechanics of the machine itself. Another reason to save other type. Owners of any appliance are urged to read the instructions. They include a complete drawing showing the location and reasons for the various knobs and switches. The operation of increasingly sophisticated design improves. It is no longer safe to assume that one knows how to operate one type of appliance, one can operate any good growth by repotting.

Repotting houseplants each spring makes them grow strong during the summer and makes them better able to withstand the winter. Use a pot two inches larger than the previous one. And if using an old pot, scrub it thoroughly. Soak the old pot in a solution of one part bleach to ten parts water. Then wash it with clean water. Soak the new pot in a solution of one part bleach to ten parts water. Then wash it with clean water. Soak the new pot in a solution of one part bleach to ten parts water. Then wash it with clean water.

Put them on the road to at least an hour to replace the air in the walls with water. Prepare a good soil mixture of three parts good garden loam and one part organic matter (well-decomposed manure, leaf-mold, compost or peat). After removing the plant from the old pot, force the roots apart with your fingers to the individual roots. Soak the roots in a solution of one part bleach to ten parts water. Then wash it with clean water. Soak the new pot in a solution of one part bleach to ten parts water. Then wash it with clean water.

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FRESH FRYERS
Packed 2 to Bag
29¢
Grade "A" Whole

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Fresh Fryer Leg or Breast Quarters Grade "A" **39¢**

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Hickory Smoked Slab Bacon 1 lb. **59¢**
Tender Sliced Beef Liver 1 lb. **59¢**
Blue Ribbon Beef Chuck Steak 1 lb. **79¢**

USDA Inspected
Fresh Lean Beef Ground Chuck 2 lb. pkg. **\$1.69**
All Meat 3 to 5 lb. Pieces Bologna 1 lb. **59¢**
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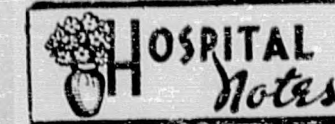
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Elba Native Dies In Tampa, Florida



Mrs. Ellarce Burk, 59, of 9207 East Buffalo Ave., Tampa, Florida, died Sunday morning, April 19, 1970. Funeral services were held Tuesday morning at 11:30 o'clock from the chapel of the F. T. Blount Co., Brandon Funeral Home, with the Reverend Addison Peaden, pastor of the Turkey Creek Assembly of God, officiating, interment was in the Myrtle Hill Cemetery. Mrs. Burk was a native of Elba.



Persons admitted to the Elba General Hospital during the period of April 14 through April 21 were the following:

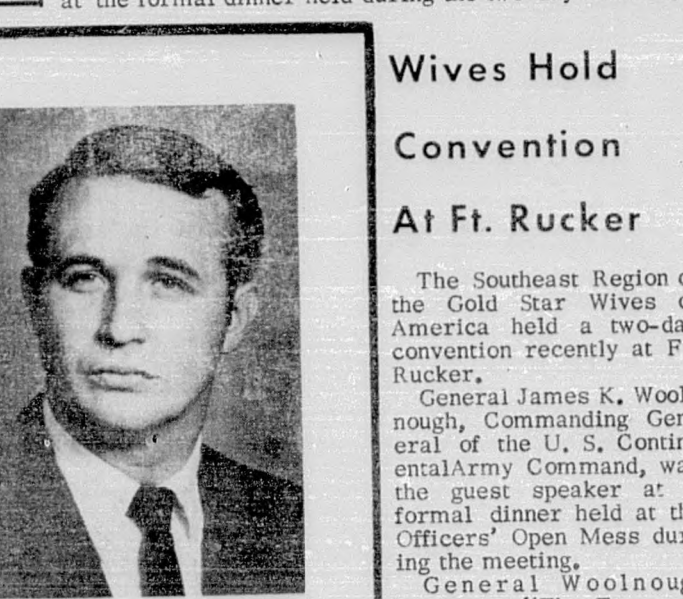
Betty Gaines, Donie Bradshaw, Marvin McCollough, William Spurlin, Josie Walker, T. P. Jackson, Gretchen C. Lewis, B. W. Sigler, Deborah Her-ring, Glen Vaughan, Ruby Gray, Minnie Mathews, Louise Leibert, Lizzie Bone, James M. Smith, Nina Allen, Joe Jacobs, R. D. Dyess, Dolphus Moore, John W. McGowan, Alvie Hudson, Ida Hammond, Eric Brannon, Bertie Thomas.

Persons discharged as of this time were: Betty Gaines, Donie Bradshaw, Marvin McCollough, William Spurlin, Josie Walker, T. P. Jackson, Gretchen C. Lewis, B. W. Sigler, Deborah Her-ring, Glen Vaughan, Ruby Gray, Minnie Mathews, Louise Leibert, Lizzie Bone, James M. Smith, Nina Allen, Joe Jacobs, R. D. Dyess, Dolphus Moore, John W. McGowan, Alvie Hudson, Ida Hammond, Eric Brannon, Bertie Thomas.

The prospective bride is the granddaughter of Mrs. Annie Marler and the late Mr. Lumus Marler and the late Mr. and Mrs. Escar Kelley, all of Elba. She is a 1969 graduate of Elba High School and is presently employed by The Peoples Bank of Elba. Grandparents of the



IN THE RECEIVING LINE... General James K. Woolnough, Commanding General of the U. S. Continental Army Command, greets Mrs. Dorothy M. Sellers of Enterprise, one of the delegates to the recent Southeast Region Gold Star Veterans convention at Ft. Rucker. Gen. Woolnough was principal speaker at the formal dinner held during the two-day session.



VOTE FOR & ELECT
JIMMY W. HOLLEY
for
STATE REPRESENTATIVE
DISTRICT 41
COFFEE COUNTY

Kindly permit me to discuss what I feel are some of my qualifications for this very important office. I am 25 years old and was graduated from college with a degree in political science. I have studied law at Jones Law School. For the past years I have taught school. I wish to extend my services to you by representing you in the State Legislature.

* While I am representative, there will be no new taxes placed on property owners in Coffee County.

* My professional ties will render to the entire educational program of Coffee County a strong and personal voice.

* Our county needs a local trade school to serve the residents of Coffee County. I plan to see that we get one.

* Much has been said with respect to Elba and Enterprise receiving industrial growth and development - this is good but should also take into account the needs of the citizens. Let me work to make this a four year college.

* All of us in Coffee County are proud of the Enterprise Junior College. The potential for development of this already established institution to the needs of education is clearly visible. Let me work to make this a four year college.

* We hear much about our natural resources and about air and water pollution. Our local conservation officials do an admirable job but need more personnel and financial aid. I intend to see that they get this added support.

* Our greatest natural resources are the minds of our children. Let me, a person who knows their problems, serve YOU in the State Legislature.

(Paid political ad - by friends of Jimmy W. Holley, Elba, Alabama)

Wives Hold Convention At Ft. Rucker

The Southeast Region of the Gold Star Wives of America held a two-day convention recently at Ft. Rucker. General James K. Woolnough, Commanding General of the U. S. Continental Army Command, was the guest speaker at a formal dinner held at the Officers' Open Mess during the meeting. General Woolnough spoke on "The Future of the Army." He reviewed some events of the past and expressed confidence in the future. During the convention, the delegates toured the Army Aviation Museum and had an opportunity to see Ft. Rucker by air in a helicopter, in addition to holding meetings. The climax of the session was a memorial for those who died in Vietnam.

Water may be the handiest substance but never use it when putting out electric, gasoline or oil fires. For these fires a good fire extinguisher is recommended.

For easy cleanup, pare foods on paper or directly into a sink that includes a garbage disposal.

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ONE CONVENIENT CHARGE ACCOUNT *

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- ★ Write One Check To Pay
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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE CITY COUNCIL PUBLIC HEARING

There will be a public hearing at the City Hall Monday, April 27, 1970, at 7:00 p.m., to consider a request for rezoning of certain property located on Collins Street from M-2 to M-1. The property to be considered is more accurately described as a strip of property bounded as follows:

"The Northern half of the block bounded on the North by Collins Street, on the East by Plant Avenue, on the South by Caroline Street and on the West by Williams Street."

Tom Dyess
City Clerk
4-16-70

STATE OF ALABAMA COFFEE COUNTY ELBA DIVISION

In the Circuit Court in Equity,
Lloyd R. Hodge, complainant, vs. Linda Hodge, defendant.

To Linda Hodge notice is hereby given that Complainant has filed a Bill of Complaint against you in this court, and you are required to appear and plead to or answer the same by the 18th day of May 1970, or in thirty days thereafter a decree pro confesso may be rendered against you.

This the 9th day of April 1970.

Glady Clark
Register
4-16-70

PROBATE COURT Elba Division

Estate of James A. Miller, deceased. Letters of Administration on the estate of said deceased have been granted to the undersigned on the 9th day of April 1970, by the Hon. J. O. English, Judge of the Probate Court of Coffee County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Lillie Mae Miller
Administratrix
4-16-70

NOTICE - FORECLOSURE Mortgage Foreclosure

NOTICE
Default having been made in the terms of a Mortgage executed to the undersigned

by Jack Corley and wife, Wanda T. Corley on the 26th day of May, 1964, which Mortgage is recorded in the Office of the Probate Judge of Coffee County, Alabama, in Mortgage Book 35A, Page 563-64, and said default continuing, the undersigned will sell at Public Auction for cash to the highest bidder, in front of the courthouse door of said county, within the legal hours of sale on Friday, April 24, 1970, which property is described as follows:

Lots No. 9 and 10 of the Riverview Subdivision in the city of Elba, Coffee County, Alabama, according to the Plat of said subdivision recorded in Plat Book 1, Page 5 in the Office of the Judge of Probate in Elba, Coffee County, Alabama.

State will be made for the purpose of paying said Mortgage, and the proceeds thereof will be applied as provided by the terms of said Mortgage. One thing I admit Charles Woods for more than for all his other qualifications put together is when he said the day he passed for using the Negro race as a political football. Candidates are going to find that they can't be elected by following "finger" to get the white votes and then solicit the Negro votes "under the table".

AT LAST the Wallace campaign is showing its true colors - running scared. I had commented a number of times that I was happy that none of the candidates had stooped to smear tactics but now it has happened and of the poorest taste. Even a child could see that it is not the real thing and is pictures taken from different angles and patched up in an attempt to make an opponent look bad to the voters.

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***** Jus' Ramblin' *****

BY
LUCILLE K. WOODHAM
McRAE

Now the same tactic is being circulated by the George Wallace camp that they are the "white man's candidate," yet they are courting the Negro vote, holding up a Negro corpse to satisfy some white voters is a thing of the past. It just won't work anymore. We have grown up, so to speak, and we all see through the daylight activity and then "sneak and deal" under the table after dark.

But, really I'm sorry to see anyone start a "smear campaign" and up until now this political campaign has been reasonably clean so far as unlawful tactics were concerned.

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STRANG ONLY WOMAN ON SCHOOL BOARD

Mrs. Carl Strang, the only woman presently serving on the Alabama State Board of Education, has announced she will seek nomination in the May Democratic Primary for the Third Congressional District seat on the board.



"Education in Alabama has been a deep concern of mine all of my life," the former committee member of the 1957 Alabama Education Study Commission said. "These are critical times and we are fighting

against odds to maintain quality education. I feel a real responsibility to exert every effort to see that our public schools are not endangered," Mrs. Strang continued.

A graduate of Hollins College in Virginia, Mrs. Strang also did graduate work at Columbia University. She has served in many fields of education and community life.

The recipient of Eufaula's Citizen of the Year award was appointed to the State Board of Education in 1964 and was reappointed for a six year term in 1967. She served as a delegate to the White House Conference of Education in 1955, is a past president

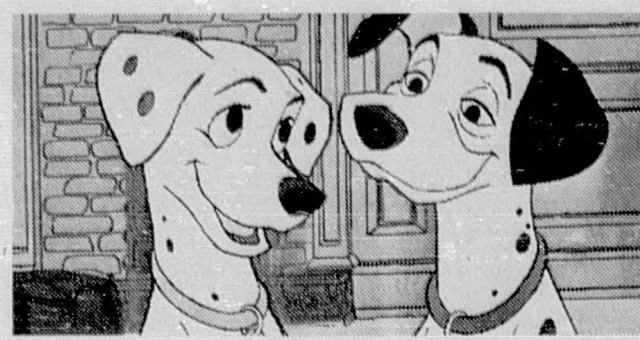
of the Alabama Federation of Women's Clubs, vice-president of the Eufaula Heritage Association, and teacher of an Adult Sunday School Class in the First Methodist Church, United Methodist Church, serving as an active member of the Alabama State Council on the Arts and Humanities. The mother of three children, Shorter T. Strang, Huntville; Mrs. B. D. Cary, Birmingham; and Carl J. Strang, Jr., Winter Haven, Florida, is listed in Outstanding Civic Leaders of American for 1968.

The median family income in the country has risen to \$8,000.

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PONGO MEETS HIS TRUE LOVE! ... Pongo, tired of his bachelor existence, meets Perdita and falls head over paws in love and this is only the beginning of Walt Disney's heart-warming cartoon feature "101 Dalmatians" in spot-tacular Technicolor and re-released by Buena Vista.

Death Claims Mrs. Wise On Saturday

Mrs. Mary Salle Wise, 84, died Saturday, April 18 in an Enterprise hospital. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon, April 20 at 2 o'clock from the Elba First Baptist Church with the Reverends James Auchmuty, John Carnley and J. C. Burks officiating. Burial was in the Bethlehem Cemetery with Hayes Funeral Home handling arrangements.

Survivors include six sons, William B. Wise of Mississippi City, Miss.,

Cecil E. Wise of Elba, Thomas K. Wise of Winter Garden, Florida; William R. Wise of Dothan, Marshall L. Wise of Ocoee, Florida and J. D. Wise of Fontannes, California; four daughters, Mrs. Deane L. Wood of Ocoee, Florida, Mrs. Minnie B. Johnson of Enterprise, Mrs. Essie McInnis of Elba, Mrs. Mary Fuller of Samson; two

brothers, Wallace Moody of Waycross, Georgia and Howard Moody of Montgomery; one sister, Mrs. Alice Royson of Waycross, Georgia.

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JUDICIAL FUNCTIONS:

The Probate of wills.
Appointing or removing executors or administrators of an estate.
Conducting settlements of executors and administrators.
Sale and disposition of real and personal property of a deceased's estate.
The distribution of the assets of an estate.
The appointment and removal of guardian for minors and insane persons.
The settlement of guardians accounts.
To allot dower and set aside homestead in land.
To partition lands.
To hold sanity hearings.
To hear claims of exemptions.
To hear the contest of a will.
To empanel juries where required.
To change the name of any person residing in the county.
To admit to mental institutions.
To hold hearings on the adoption of children.
The legitimization of children.
To perform the rites of marriage.
To condemn land for public use.
To establish drainage districts.
To correct marriage licenses.
To establish facts relating to birth.
To direct the sale of land for delinquent taxes.
The refund of taxes.
To conduct hearings on the establishment and dissolution of municipal corporations.

ADMINISTRATIVE FUNCTIONS:

To keep all books, papers and records pertaining to his office with care and diligence.

To Receive For Record:
Deeds
Mortgages
Wills
Notice of Suits
Judgements
Decrees
Tax liens
Material and labor liens
Marriage licenses
Miscellaneous papers necessary for filing and for conveying notices to the public.
Additional papers such as leases, plats, surveys, and power of attorney.
Notice of adverse possession.
Census reports
Patents
Conditional Sales contracts
Personal property notes
To issue certified copies of records
To keep voting records
To keep fee books
To record oaths of office
Declaration of incorporation
To issue all licenses (motor vehicle tags, drivers licenses, hunting and fishing licenses, marriage licenses, business, professional and occupational licenses.
To make weekly visits to the county jail as prescribed by law.

The Probate Judge is designated by the constitution as a member of the judicial branch of the state government. However, the duties of the Probate Judge are largely administrative in nature, but actually touch on the whole scope of government - executive, legislative and judicial - at the county level.

The Probate Judge is chairman of the county governing body and is responsible for recording the official proceedings of the commissioners court. This court meets twice monthly. Also the Probate Judge is responsible for supervising the maintenance of the county fiscal records, and must vote on issues before the commissioner's court in case of a tie vote by the commissioners.

During my military service I received experience in the performance of clerical and administrative duties which I feel properly qualify me to perform the duties of Probate Judge. I am a graduate of the Air Force Administrative Inspectors School, Denver, Colorado and served as Chief Clerk in the Post Administrative Inspector's Office. Other duties include Personnel Clerk, Sergeant Major and First Sergeant.

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STONE CANDIDATE FOR SCHOOL BOARD

I. B. Stone, a native of Coffee County, announced his candidacy for the State Board of Education, to be held in June. In announcing his candidacy, Mr. Stone, stated that he believed that the future of Alabama lies in the hands of the young people of the state. He pledged to every Alabama youth, to support local control in our schools, and to preserve public confidence in education. 2. To support the continued growth of the Alabama Junior College system by offering low cost education to many thousands of young people who could not otherwise afford a college education. 3. To support the extension of the trade school system to offer technical training for Alabama's youth in order to acquire higher skill jobs in our space age economy. 4. To support higher salaries for educators in order to attract and to hold our excellent teachers, many of whom are now leaving Alabama in order to teach in other states for higher wages. 5. Mr. Stone pledged to be a voice of the people on the State Board who is keenly interested in a better tomorrow for Alabama's youth through quality education.

Mrs. AGNES BAGGETT

FOR STATE TREASURER
Subject to Democratic Primary, May 5, 1970



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During Mrs. Baggett's present term of office as State Treasurer she put into effect and administered a 1967 law requiring banks to pay interest on State deposits. Her successful administration of this law has already resulted in the general fund of Alabama receiving over \$8 million. She has insisted that as interest rates rise the banks pay the State more interest. This was led to a bonus for the general fund.

**VOTE FOR A
PROVEN RECORD**

For full details of Agnes Baggett's record, see the Elba Clipper, April 23, 1970.

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Mr. Stone is married to the former Francis Flournoy of Tallahassee. He has three children, two of whom are now in school. He stated that his interest in running for the State Board of Education was to enhance and better public education in Alabama.



THE ASSOCIATE COUNTY EXTENSION CHAIRMAN of Coffee County, Mrs. Sara Hutchinson, right, Enterprise, was elected president of the Alabama Association of Extension Home Economists at the organization's 21st annual meeting in Tuscaloosa, Miss. Annie Mary Hooper, Fayette, presents the president's gavel to the new president. Association membership is composed of associate county extension chairmen and home agents of the Auburn University Cooperative Extension Service.

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By Tom Casaday, County Extension Chairman

COMING EVENTS
1. County-wide 4-H Beef Calf Show, Saturday night, April 25, Little League Field in Enterprise, 6:30 p.m.
2. County-wide 4-H Club Public Speaking Contest, Monday, May 4, Enterprise State Junior College.
3. County-wide 4-H Club Awards Program to be held in the county schools and in the Elba city schools in May.
4. County-wide 4-H Market Hog Show, Thursday, June 4, followed by District Show at the Houston County Farm Center in Dothan, June 5.
5. County-wide 4-H Club Chicken - Que in Sears parking lot in May.

CORN YIELDS
I certainly hope that we will have a better corn production this year than last year. Last year gave us about the lowest yield since 1964. But even with this poor yield, Coffee County produced all the adjoining counties. Our average yield was 24 bushels per acre, Pike averaged 23; Dale, Geneva and Henry averaged 21; and Houston averaged 20 bushels per acre.

HOG PRODUCTION
All Coffee County hog producers including the members of the Coffee County Hog Producers Association will be invited to a special dinner meeting in Elba the night of May 12. A commercial company has worked out plans with President Farris and with us to present a program on equipment for feeding hogs.

J. R. Speed and I are excited about the potential for expanded hog production in Coffee County. John P. Weeks, a former Extension poultry man, told me recently that we have a big opportunity in really tripling our hog income in this decade.

DIAGNOSTIC LABORATORY
Dr. V. D. McCreary, director of the State Diagnostic Laboratory in Elba, and his staff are performing a vital service for the farmers of Coffee County and the surrounding counties. He sends me copies of

Nonwoven Materials For Consumer Use
Dextex, a new patented nonwoven paper-like fabric, used for disposable gowns, surgical caps and shoe covers, may be adapted to fill consumer needs according to a spokesman for C. I. Dexter of Windsor Locks, Conn.

Economically made, for one-time use as a textile replacement, the material has stretchable synthetic fibers, making it tear and hole resistant. Possible consumer use includes: pillow cases, sheets, towels, dust cloths, aprons, diapers and table covers.

New Consumer Unit
A consumer information department has been created by Celanese Fibers Marketing Company. It will maintain a two-way communications bridge between Celanese and consumers at all levels, including retailers, manufacturers of textile care and home sewing appliances, laundry and dry cleaning associations, government agencies, educators and consumer groups.

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when the trees are from two to five years old and less than 10 feet tall. It is not necessary to cut off branches if the infected area is more than 15 inches away from the main stem. Care should be taken in pruning branches to prevent wounds to the tree that could lead to an infestation of insects. It is best to prune in the cooler months to reduce chances of insect attack.

Trees that have main stem infections should not be pruned. In tree farms, there is no economical way to control fusiform rust once the main stem becomes infected. However, in the case of shade trees where aesthetic value is high, there is a control. Sodium arsenite solutions, commonly sold at most seed and feed stores as weed killers can be used to eliminate the fungus. However, extreme caution is advised when applying this solution since it is highly toxic. It is suggested that it not be used around small children or pets except under extreme supervision and caution. All chemical safety regulations and warnings by the manufacturer listed on the label should be observed.

Best results have been obtained by applying the sodium arsenite solution during the winter months. However, presence of the orange spores during April should define exact areas of infection that need to be treated. The solution may be applied directly to the infected cankers with an ordinary paint brush. The treated area can be wrapped in plastic without reducing the effectiveness of the chemical. This acts as a safety measure to protect children and pets around the home. The solution eradicates the fungus by killing the infected tissue but not the healthy tissue. Since the solution affects only the infected tissue, it should not be applied to trees that have 50 per cent or more of the stem circumference infected with fusiform rust. If it is applied, the infected tissue will be killed, leaving the tree in a more weakened state and subject to wither. Latest results have shown that treated trees with less than 50 per cent stem circumference infection have their chances of survival more than doubled.

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1970 WOMAN OF ACHIEVEMENT

Elba's Woman of Achievement for 1970 is Mrs. Althea C. Prescott. Her selection was announced during the annual dinner meeting of the Elba Business and Professional Women on Monday evening, April 13th, at the Elba Country Club.

This award is presented as a token of recognition for achievements and contributions by an individual woman to her community and to her profession which have a lasting quality.

Mrs. Nellie B. Martin, program chairman, assisted by Mrs. Luna Dell Ringo, introduced the program and presented her with an engraved trophy proclaiming her the Woman of Achievement of 1970.

Mrs. Martin, in her brief biography of Mrs. Prescott, compared her early childhood, growth and education to the heritage that has been handed down from generation to generation so that children may knit into their own lives the finest experience and the priceless learning that comes in rhythmic language, lovely poetry, song and stories that is called "Mother Goose Love." This she showed in pictures with comical quotation.

The program continues in picture maturity shown



Mrs. Althea C. Prescott, 1970 Woman of Achievement, seated at a table with other women.

ing growth with the content holding the halo and glamor of romance, while at the same time it offered the sterner stuff of soul structure as truth, honor and duty. These qualities, Mrs. Prescott excelled as a student, teacher, organizer, a laborer, and a servant of the community.

Mrs. Ringo read excerpts from letters of Mrs. Prescott's family, neighbors, professional associates and former pupils. Many outstanding accomplishments were mentioned, but two letters, in particular, were most informative and entertaining.

In making the presentation of the trophy, Mrs. Martin mentioned some of

popular young men - one now a successful businessman and the other a popular high school teacher - reminiscing about their experiences as seventh grade students of Mrs. Prescott's.

Judges for the annual affair, one of the club's highlights of the year program, were Mrs. Betty Johnson, Mrs. Jean Boutwell and Mrs. Betty Shavers, of the Troy BPW club.

Last year's recipient, Mrs. Gladys S. Dorsey, along with approximately fifty guests were present the awards.

Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. John White, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Cox, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Bowman, and H. H. Bowman of Andalusia, Mr. and Mrs. John Edd White, Mr. and Mrs. James P. Deal and children, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin White and children, Mrs. Estell Wright of Dothan, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Giddins of Andalusia, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Thomas and children, Mrs. Ethel Larkins, Carlton Larkins, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Spurlin and Gloria, Mrs. W. B. Westbrook and Win, Mrs. Lila Hurst, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Wilkerson and Deloris, Eugene Wilkerson, Mr. and Mrs. David

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Mrs. Prescott's outstanding qualities as: ability, achievement, action, character, love, mistakes, service, strength, success, work, worship and zeal giving.

Mrs. Martin concluded the program with a quotation as a climax of Mrs. Prescott's life: "Let us not be weary in well doing for in due season we shall reap, if we faint not."

Relatives attending the lovely affair were Mr. and Mrs. Whit Carmichael, Mrs. Palmer Carmichael, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Wilk-

inson, all of Enterprise and Mr. and Mrs. William Prescott, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Prescott and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Prescott.

Judges for the annual affair, one of the club's highlights of the year program, were Mrs. Betty Johnson, Mrs. Jean Bout-

well and Mrs. Betty Shavers, of the Troy BPW club.

Last year's recipient, Mrs. Gladys S. Dorsey, along with approximately fifty guests were present the awards.

Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. John White, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Cox, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Bowman, and H. H. Bowman of Andalusia, Mr. and Mrs. John Edd White, Mr. and Mrs. James P. Deal and children, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin White and children, Mrs. Estell Wright of Dothan, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Giddins of Andalusia, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Thomas and children, Mrs. Ethel Larkins, Carlton Larkins, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Spurlin and Gloria, Mrs. W. B. Westbrook and Win, Mrs. Lila Hurst, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Wilkerson and Deloris, Eugene Wilkerson, Mr. and Mrs. David

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Whites Honored On Golden Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. White were honored with a barbeque dinner on Sunday, April 19. The occasion was their 50th wedding anniversary. The dinner was given by their children and grandchildren. They are: Mrs. John P. Kendrick and Rosemary, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Logan, Butch White, Mrs. Sandra Crimes, Mr. and Mrs. Roy White and David, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd A. White and Alvin and Don, Mr. and Mrs. James H. White and Hayes and Randy.

Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. John White, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Cox, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Bowman, and H. H. Bowman of Andalusia, Mr. and Mrs. John Edd White, Mr. and Mrs. James P. Deal and children, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin White and children, Mrs. Estell Wright of Dothan, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Giddins of Andalusia, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Thomas and children, Mrs. Ethel Larkins, Carlton Larkins, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Spurlin and Gloria, Mrs. W. B. Westbrook and Win, Mrs. Lila Hurst, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Wilkerson and Deloris, Eugene Wilkerson, Mr. and Mrs. David

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USDA ESTIMATES COST OF RAISING A CHILD EXCEEDS \$21,000

How many dollars does it cost to raise a child to the age of 18? It depends on what section of the country you live in, how many there are in the family, the family's standard of living and many other variables, says Extension Specialist in Human Development Miss Barbara Fite.

But, Miss Fite notes that if prices remain the same as they were in 1969, it will cost about \$21,050 to raise the average child who lives in a family of husband, wife and no more than five children, in a rural non-farm area in the South.

These figures are contained in a U. S. Department of Agriculture paper, "Cost of Raising a Child," prepared by the USDA's Agricultural Research Service.

Items in addition to food which they figured into the cost of raising a child are clothing, housing (his proportionate share of the family's total costs for shelter, utilities, furnishings, and equipment), medical care, recreation and similar miscellaneous expenditures.

There are many differences among costs relating to raising a child, adds Miss Fite. In general, it takes between 15 to 17 percent of a family's income to raise a child.

The total costs per year same rate over the 18 years to raise the child usually rise as much as 30 to 45 percent in clothing and food. And costs per child can be expected to decrease as family size tends to increase, but to turn upward when he is a teenager.

Regular \$1.09—4 ounce Can
MENNEN DRY
Anti-Perspirant
DEODORANT
49¢

Regular \$1.59—Box of 12
PREP H
SUPPOSITORIES
Preparation to Aid Hemorrhoids
79¢

Reg. \$9.95—#AK-10
JULIETTE
Solid State
Full 10 Transistor
POCKET
RADIO
\$3.27

Reg. \$1.50—4 oz. Bottle
HAI
KARATE
AFTER SHAVE
89¢

Regular \$1.09—6.75 ounce
ultra brite
extra-strength toothpaste
TOOTHPASTE
51¢

Reg. \$1.10
2 oz. Tube
ARTRA
SKIN TONE
CREAM
69¢

Regular 98¢—Bottle of 50
CAROID AND BILE SALTS
Tablets
LAXATIVE
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Regular \$21.49—#H53
LADY VANITY
21 Curler
HAIR STYLER
\$13.99

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ON THE SQUARE IN ELBA, NEXT TO WISE FURNITURE

Regular \$1.49—Bottle of 100
BUFFERIN
TABLETS
83¢

Regular \$2.94 Bottle of 100
ONE-A-DAY
MULTIPLE
VITAMINS
\$1.44

Regular 15¢ Roll
TUMS
FOR THE TUMMY
Quick Relief of Acid Indigestion
and Heartburn.
5¢

Reg. 55¢—Box of 12
KOTEX
SANITARY
NAPKINS
Regular
or Super
29¢

Reg. \$1.49 Toy
GOLF PRACTICE SET
2 POLISHED METAL GOLF CLUBS PUTTING CUP.
BUCKET OF SAFE GOLF BALLS, JUMPO TEA
99¢

Reg. 98¢—Safe Unbreakable
Plastic
HOME RUN BAT
HOME RUN BAT AND 2 BALLS
66¢

Reg. \$1.60—5 Ounce Plastic Bottle
PHISOHEX
Anti-Bacterial
CLEANSER
89¢

Reg. \$1.50—3 oz. Spray
FDS
Feminine Hygiene
Deodorant
99¢

Reg. \$1.98—32 ounce
LAVORIS
MOUTH
WASH
\$1.19

Regular \$39.95
NEW POLAROID
COLOR PACK
III
\$29.88

Regular 95¢—SIZES 6 thru 9 1/2
SURGEON'S
UTILITY
RUBBER
GLOVES
25¢

Regular 98¢—2 ply—250 sheets per roll
LADY FAIR
BATH-
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Girl's State
Representative
Is Selected

Three members of the Junior Class at Elba High School captivated members of the American Legion and Auxiliary on April 9th when they spoke before the group on "Why I Believe in America." Each asked to be chosen as a delegate to Girls State.

By secret ballot, Miss Harriette Bullard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy King, was chosen to represent Elba High School at Girls State.

Alternate delegate is Miss Jacky Smart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smart.

Second alternate is Miss Dixie King, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy King. It is sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary and conducted by its members under the direction of Mrs. Walter W. Andrews, Jackson, Ala., who is a Past National President of The American Legion Auxiliary.

Girls State is a workshop to teach youth the principles of fundamental government at city, county and state levels. Girls States form their own governmental bodies on a two-party system and conduct their affairs for a week long session. While there, corresponding state officials are elected. The elected Governor of Girls State will be given the privilege of occupying Governor Albert Brewer's office for a day at the Capitol conducting the business of State Government with her own cabinet and officials. One delegate from Girls State will be selected to attend Girls Nation in Washington, D.C., this summer.

Mrs. Lorene Bryan, Auxiliary President, and Mrs. Evelyn Reeves, Girls State Chairman, expressed appreciation to the young ladies for their participation and interest in our American way of life. Mrs. Reeves also says that Miss Bullard will be encouraged to seek election to any office of her choice while at Girls State and she asks the citizens of Elba to support her by writing letters and sending telegrams to her during that week.



JACKIE, HARRIETTE, MRS. REEVES

Flood Survey
Underway In
Elba Now

Mr. Robert Marsh of The Elba City Planning Commission announced that survey parties from the office of COL. Robert E. Snetzer, District Engineer, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army, will be in the area of Elba, within a few days conducting a flood plain study of Pea River, Whitewater Creek and Beaverdam Creek.

Then survey parties will complete field data essential to evaluation of the economic feasibility of providing channel improvements for flood control purposes. The biggest portion of these surveys will pertain to roads, culverts, and like public facilities; however, certain channel cross sections will require entry on private property. Mr. Robert Marsh earnestly requests the cooperation of landowners in the affected area in permitting entry to their lands by survey personnel.

There is a distinct possibility that flood insurance will be made available to the property owners in Elba as a result of this survey. Mr. Robert Marsh, Elba City Planning Commission, has been designated to work with the survey personnel. Therefore, property owners desiring any further information relating to this survey are urged to call Mr. Robert Marsh at 897-2981.

TURKEY HUNTING PRO'S... Lonnie Hattaway, left, and Denton Holmes, both of Kinston are shown here as turkey season closed with the gobblers they bagged about 4 p.m., Friday afternoon in Pea River swamp. This is the first turkey of the season for Mr. Hattaway and the fourth for Mr. Holmes.



MARTY FLOWERS' BLACK ANGUS captured the title of Grand Champion of the Coffee County 4-H Beef Calf Show held recently.

Voting Machines Moved
To Local Armory

All Elba voting machines will be located in the National Guard Armory for the primary election next Tuesday, according to Probate Judge, J. O. English. English stated that the

Bloodmobile
Returning To
Elba In May

The Red Cross Bloodmobile will return to Elba on Tuesday, May 19. It will be located at the West-side Baptist Church from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m.

Due to cancellation of the January trip to Elba, the Elba Bloodbank is drastically low. Extra donors are urgently needed to make up for that missed during the January rash of sickness locally.

Local bloodmobile workers are saying, "Please help, we are in danger of losing our bloodmobile privileges in the near future."

Man Downed Trying
To Save Sister's Life

A New Brockton man drowned while trying to save his drowning sister about 5 p.m. Sunday in the Pea River west of New Brockton.

According to New Brockton Police Chief Bill Skinner, Fred Wayne Adkinson, 20, New Brockton, was swimming in the river near Weeks Bridge, along with his brothers, sisters, and an uncle.

Rescue squads from Elba, Enterprise, Opp and Samson participated in the search for Adkinson's body which was not recovered until almost 10 p.m. Funeral services were at 3 p.m. Tuesday at the New Haven Baptist Church near Elba.

Survivors include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred N. Adkinson, New Brockton; four sisters, Mrs. Glenda Sue Carr, Samson, Miss Linda Nadine Adkinson, Linda Diane Adkinson, Sandy Lynn, all of New Brockton; two brothers, Bruce and Karl, both of New Brockton; two grandfathers, Shelby Boutwell, Enterprise, and James B. Adkinson.

Verdict Upheld
In Local Circuit
Court Case

A hearing was held in Circuit Court on Tuesday of this week to determine if an error had been made in striking a jury in the Jackson case transferred to Elba from Dothan due to the adverse publicity received in Dothan. Four prospective jurors were challenged by District Attorney Lewey Stephens because they would not give capital punishment.

The Alabama Supreme Court sent the case back due to a later U.S. Supreme Court opinion. The four jurors were summoned and Judge Eris Paul questioned each of them about their convictions. Defense attorneys also cross examined.

All four jurors stated that their convictions were so strong that "regardless of the facts in any case they would not give capital punishment to any defendant."

Under those circumstances, the guilty verdict was upheld and the case was returned to the Supreme Court for either further questions or confirmation.



PLAY CAST IS Vicki Ygghon, Kathy Thomas, Lucia Stephens, Don Wambles, Danny Sinson, Lynda Galimore, Emily Burdick, Harriette Bullard. Not shown Roy Miller Doug Rhodes

Ft. Rucker Plans
Armed Forces Day

An open house, air mobile demonstration and static displays will highlight the 1970 Armed Forces Day activities at Ft. Rucker, on May 16.

The entire show will take place at Cairns Army Airfield. Emphasis will be on the theme FORCES FOR FREEDOM in addition to the vital role Army Aviation plays in national security.

Civic groups may request Armed Forces Day speakers by contacting the Fort Rucker Public Affairs Office.

Project officer for the event is Major John Laughlinhouse. Mrs. Nell Lawford visited Sp4 and Mrs. Max Adkinson on May 10.

Lowman Takes Co-Op Reins

The Board of Trustees of Alabama Electric Cooperative have announced the selection of Charles R. Lowman to become General Manager to succeed Wesley Jackson who is leaving to accept a post with the Tennessee Valley Authority in Chattanooga. The



W. M. JACKSON—C. R. LOWMAN—G. R. JEFFCOAT

change is expected to take place on May 8. Lowman is an AEC career employee of 20 years, having joined the organization in 1950 as an Engineer. He has held various positions with AEC including Assistant Superintendent of McWilliams

Power Plant, Planning Engineer, Acting General Manager and Director of Engineering and Operations Divisions. He is a graduate of Auburn University where he majored in Electrical Engineering.

In his new post as General Manager he will direct all phases of the operation of the AEC system which supplies electric power across South Alabama and Northwestern Florida. Included in the AEC facilities are steam generating plants, hydro plants, high voltage transmission lines and substations where power is delivered to cooperative and municipal distribution systems and to industrial plants.

Lowman is a native of the Andalusia area having spent his earlier life at Seairight. During World War II he served in the U.S. Army in the Pacific Theater aboard an aircraft repair vessel. He and his family are active in the First Methodist Church where he is serving as Chairman of the Official Board. He recently completed a term as President of the Andalusia Lions Club.

He is married to the former Effie Adams. They have two daughters, Nora and Ruth, and they reside at 120 McRaney Loop in Andalusia.